

Listening TEST

In the Listening test, you will be asked to demonstrate how well you understand spoken English. The entire Listening test will last approximately 45 minutes. There are four parts, and directions are given for each part. You must mark your answers on the separate answer sheet. Do not write your answers in the test book.

Part 1

Directions: For each question in this part, you will hear four statements about a picture in your test book. When you hear the statements, you must select the one statement that best describes what you see in the picture. Then find the number of the question on your answer sheet and mark your answer. The statements will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

Example



Sample Answer



Statement (C), "He is writing in a notebook," is the best description of the picture, so you should select answer (C) and mark it on your answer sheet.



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Part 2

Directions: You will hear a question or statement and three responses spoken in English. They will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book. Select the best response to the question or statement and mark the letter (A), (B), or (C) on your answer sheet.

Example

You will hear:

Where did you buy your tie?

You will also hear:

(A) Next time we'll do better:

(B) At the downtown shopping center.

(C) We'll move to a new building soon.

The best response to the question "Where did you buy your tie?" is choice (B), "At the downtown shopping center," so (B) is the correct answer. You should mark answer (B) on your answer sheet.

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Sample Answer



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Part 3

Directions: You will hear some conversations between two people. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speakers say in each conversation. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet. The conversations will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book.

41. What would the man like Julie to do?

- (A) Meet with the president
- (B) Change an appointment time
- (C) Come to the office later
- (D) Contact some clients

42. What will the man do this afternoon?

- (A) Meet with some clients
- (B) Call the president's office
- (C) Go to the emergency room
- (D) Relocate his office

43. What time will the man start his appointment this afternoon?

- (A) At 1 o'clock
- (B) At 2 o'clock
- (C) At 3 o'clock
- (D) At 4 o'clock

44. What kind of company does the man work for?

- (A) A delivery service company
- (B) An Internet provider
- (C) A mobile phone company
- (D) An accountant's office

45. How does the man explain the change in the woman's bill?

- (A) The price may have risen.
- (B) The woman has two cell phones.
- (C) There was an accounting error.
- (D) The woman may have used her cell phone more than usual.

46. What information does the man ask the woman for?

- (A) Her invoice number
- (B) Her telephone number
- (C) Her monthly balance
- (D) Her identification number



47. What is the celebration for?

- (A) The promotion of a coworker
- (B) The opening of a new banquet facility
- (C) The anniversary of the hotel
- (D) The retirement of a colleague

48. When will the celebration start?

- (A) At 6:00
- (B) At 6:30
- (C) At 7:00
- (D) At 7:30

49. Where will the woman go before the party?

- (A) To a banquet hall
- (B) To a hotel lobby
- (C) To a bakery
- (D) To a supermarket

50. Why is William happy?

- (A) He created a new painting.
- (B) He recently won a prize.
- (C) He met his favorite artist.
- (D) He taught his first art workshop.

51. What does William hope to do?

- (A) Take a vacation in the fall
- (B) Sign up for a workshop
- (C) Attend an awards banquet
- (D) Join a group of artists

52. What is William working on these days?

- (A) An oil painting
- (B) A workshop manual
- (C) A watercolor painting
- (D) A sculpture

53. Where is the conversation most likely taking place?

- (A) At a shipping company
- (B) At an office building
- (C) At an office supplies store
- (D) At a library

54. What does the assistant offer to do?

- (A) Help move the supplies
- (B) Phone his manager
- (C) Sign the form
- (D) Open the conference room

55. What will be delivered to the conference room?

- (A) A bookshelf
- (B) A filing cabinet
- (C) Office supplies
- (D) Meeting tables

56. Who most likely is the man?

- (A) An information desk clerk
- (B) A gift shop owner
- (C) A parking attendant
- (D) A supermarket cashier

57. Where is the woman going?

- (A) To meet with a boutique owner
- (B) To visit an art gallery
- (C) To check her order
- (D) To walk around a shopping mall

58. How does the man suggest lowering the admission price?

- (A) Returning another day
- (B) Calling the shop owner
- (C) Using a discount coupon
- (D) Charging her the senior's rate

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59. What color monitors are available now?

- (A) White
- (B) Silver
- (C) Black
- (D) Red

60. How much does it cost to increase the size of the monitor?

- (A) \$ 100
- (B) \$ 170
- (C) \$ 200
- (D) \$ 300

61. When can the man expect to receive his monitor?

- (A) In about a week
- (B) In about two weeks
- (C) In about three weeks
- (D) In about four weeks

62. What problem is the man faced with?

- (A) He doesn't know where the HR department is.
- (B) He has too much work to prepare for the meeting.
- (C) He can't open the garage gate by himself.
- He wasn't able to contact the parking attendant.

63. When did the woman receive her parking permit?

- (A) On Thursday
- (B) On Friday
- (C) On Monday
- (D) On Tuesday

64. What does the woman suggest the man do?

- (A) Find the parking attendant
- (B) Park in another garage
- (C) Arrive at the office early
- (D) Contact the HR department

65. Where most likely does this conversation take place?

- (A) At a shopping mall
- (B) At a hair salon
- (C) At a fashion boutique
- (D) At an art studio

66. What would the woman like to do?

- (A) Meet the receptionist
- (B) Attend the "what's hot" seminar
- (C) Find a new hair stylist
- (D) Change her hair color

67. Why did the man visit New York?

- (A) To see the sights
- (B) To learn about fashion
- (C) To buy hair products
- (D) To attend a training seminar

68. What is the man's problem?

- (A) He forgot his new password.
- (B) He left his ID card in the HR department.
- (C) He can't access his messages.
- (D) His phone lines have been down all afternoon.

69. Where will the man probably go next?

- (A) To the HR department
- (B) To technical services
- (C) To the reception desk
- (D) To the mail room

70. Where is the technical support staff office located?

- (A) Beside the reception desk
- (B) Next to the elevators
- (C) Across from the mail room
- (D) Near the HR department



Part 4

Directions: You will hear some short talks given by a single speaker. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speaker says in each short talk. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet. The talks will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book.

71. What is the reason for the call?

- (A) To get Mr. Clifford's contact information
- (B) To set up an installation date
- (C) To discuss available Internet packages
- (D) To receive payment for a service

72. What is Mr. Clifford asked to do?

- (A) Send an e-mail
- (B) Call the company
- (C) Drop by the office
- (D) Register for services

73. When does Katie expect to hear from Mr. Clifford?

- (A) On Monday, between 8 and 6 o'clock
- (B) As soon as possible
- (C) Before the installation date
- (D) After the payment due date

74. Who most likely is the speaker?

- (A) A construction crew member
- (B) A steel engineer
- (C) A plant supervisor
- (D) A company's director

75. How many staff will the company employ when it opens?

- (A) 50
- (B) 75
- (C) 100
- (D) 125

76. Where was the first facility?

- (A) Milton
- (B) Portland
- (C) St. Louis
- (D) Rochester

77. Where most likely are the visitors?

- (A) A semi-conductor plant
- (B) A famous museum
- (C) A large bakery's facilities
- (D) A supermarket

78. What will happen at 2:00?

- (A) The visitors will ask questions.
- (B) The guided part of the tour will end.
- (C) The tasting rooms will close.
- (D) The visitors can take photographs.

79. How long will the visitors be on their own?

- (A) 30 minutes
- (B) One hour
- (C) Two hours
- (D) Three hours

80. What kind of business is the message for?

- (A) A political candidate's office
- (B) A university registrar's office
- (C) City Hall in Washington, D.C.
- (D) A university library

81. What time does the facility close on Fridays?

- (A) 2 p.m.
- (B) 3 p.m.
- (C) 4 p.m.
- (D) 5 p.m.

82. How can a caller speak with Edward Phillips?

- (A) By accessing the list of faculty members
- (B) By speaking with the reception staff
- (C) By dialing extension 15
- (D) By visiting the library during regular hours

83. What is being advertised?

- (A) A trip to France
- (B) A restaurant
- (C) A hotel
- (D) A food market

84. What is provided for dessert?

- (A) Fruit juice
- (B) Fresh fish
- (C) Pastries
- (D) A glass of wine

85. What does the speaker say about Chateau François?

- (A) The chef is world-renowned.
- (B) It is open on weekends.
- (C) The view from the deck is impressive
- (D) The lunch specials are inexpensive.

86. What is the announcement about?

- (A) Employment opportunities with human resources
- (B) Information regarding interior decorating
- (C) Changes in the meeting schedules
- (D) Preparations for the board meeting

87. How can employees find out the location of their new offices?

- (A) By phoning the human resources department
- (B) By speaking to their manager
- (C) By visiting the lobby of the building
- (D) By contacting Newport Painters

88. What are staff asked to do on Monday before they leave?

- (A) Clean up their workspace
- (B) Turn off their computers
- (C) Contact the human resources department
- (D) Put away confidential files



89. What is the purpose of this announcement?

- (A) To tell about special offers
- (B) To inform of a change in the store policy
- (C) To announce the store's hours
- (D) To introduce sales associates

90. What is Ms. Williams' position?

- (A) Store manager
- (B) Computer programmer
- (C) Radio announcer
- (D) Restaurant staff

91. What can customers receive at no cost as they leave?

- (A) A fax machine
- (B) Computer paper
- (C) A store catalogue
- (D) A preferred customer card

92. When will the new system start?

- (A) This afternoon
- (B) In two weeks
- (C) At the end of the month
- (D) Next month

93. What does the speaker say is the benefit to the change?

- (A) More efficient communication
- (B) Prevent the loss of files
- (C) Better secure important data
- (D) Allow staff to work less hours

94. What does the speaker ask staff to do?

- (A) Obtain a new ID card
- (B) E-mail group files
- (C) Copy existing files
- (D) Rewrite files on the new server

95. How long will the conference run?

- (A) A day
- (B) Three days
- (C) A week
- (D) Three weeks

96. What is the main subject of the conference?

- (A) Management techniques
- (B) Organizational behavior
- (C) Tele-conferencing
- (D) Accounting

97. What must conference participants do following the lectures?

- (A) Raise questions on the lectures they've heard
- (B) Post their responses on the conference website
- (C) Meet with their colleagues
- (D) Submit a paper to Francis Lee

98. What's the purpose of this meeting?

- (A) To introduce a new manager
- (B) To announce a new security system
- (C) To develop a new computer network
- (D) To address the issue of employee productivity

99. Where will this new policy be enforced?

- (A) Across the country
- (B) Across the city
- (C) Within the IT department
- (D) Within the building

100. What changes have been made to the computer system?

- (A) Employees must now use a password.
- (B) Employees must now record their hours.
- (C) Employees must now use only their own computer.
- (D) Employees must speak to their manager before using the computer.



This is the end of the Listening test.

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